

NOTICE OF DISCHARGE AS ATTORNEY AND AGENT		<u>Application Number: 08/976,294</u> <u>Filing Date: November 21, 1997</u> <u>First Named Inventor: Kenneth R. WESTERLAGE</u> <u>Art Unit: 2761</u> <u>Examiner Name: Edward R. COSIMANO</u> <u>Attorney Docket Number: 019743.0261</u>
To: Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450		
Please note that I have been discharged by the Applicant/Assignee; and <input type="checkbox"/> All the practitioners of record; <input type="checkbox"/> the practitioners of record; <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> the practitioners of record associated with Customer Number <u>22904</u> .		
The reason(s) for the notice are those described in 37 CFR 10.40(b)(4); namely, "The practitioner is discharged by the client."		
REASONS FOR NOTICE OF DISCHARGE		
Practitioners associated with Customer Number <u>22904</u> were discharged on <u>January 4, 2006</u> by the Applicant / Assignee as Attorney and Agents for the above referenced Patent/Application.		
The discharged practitioners have no continuing contact with Applicant / Assignee. The discharged practitioners have no correspondence address for the Applicant / Assignee. Therefore, it is not feasible that service of materials on the discharged practitioners related to the above referenced Patent/Application will be forwarded by the discharged Attorneys and Agents to the Applicant / Assignee, and such service will not provide actual notice to Applicant / Assignee.		
I am authorized to sign on behalf of myself and all discharged practitioners.		
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